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[redacted] anti-Semitism will not necessarily be a factor in many future trials. [redacted] not be surprised if in some of the later trials someone will be tried for advocating racial anti-Semitism, or something of that sort.

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The general reaction of the big majority of non-Communists behind the Iron Curtain (that is, those who dislike communism no matter whether or not they are former Party members) will be:

- (a) A feeling of satisfaction that at last the leading Communists are being purged as well as the minor functionaries.
- (b) A hope that under favorable circumstances the purges might one day lead to an open split with better chances for overthrowing communism.
- (c) An increased fear among minor Party and non-Party functionaries, realizing that purges on the top will spread downward and reach them.

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